

ABOUT US

Holifield Farm Project is a day care facility for adults and young people with learning difficulties and additional needs. We are committed to providing a quality needs-led service to our trainees, giving them the opportunity to develop their living, working and social skills.

Each trainee is offered an individual and varied programme of activities.

Holifield Farm Project comprises of a 32 acre smallholding with 20 acres of arable land and 10 acres of woodland.

Vacancies are currently available on Mondays to Fridays subject to the specific needs of the individual. Prices start at £34.50 per day. Please contact us for any further information.

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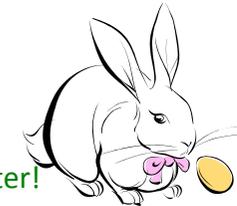
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Dear Friends,

We hope you all had a lovely Easter!

It seems like spring has sprung at last! The orchard is about to burst into blossom and the swallows have arrived...hooray! Our baby calves have been put out and are now frolicking in the field with the bigger cows.



The trainees & support team on the way to feed the cows & hens

Open Day

Our open day on the 1st of March was a great success. We had art on display as well as a fantastic art workshop. People enjoyed visiting our chickens and our new baby calves and having a look around our polytunnels, going for a walk, and of course the delicious cake!

In fact, it was such a success that we are having another on Wednesday the 15th of May! The Open day is free, and there will be tea and cake throughout the day. Feel free to bring a picnic lunch and there will be a music workshop at 2pm. Below are some photos from our last open day.



Good news!

We have 5 units of accommodation, which have just been approved by the Council, for the supporting staff of Holifield Farm Project. We are all qualified and skilled in our area and choose to live a more ethical, sustainable and low impact lifestyle. It also means that it reduces traffic in the lane, our carbon footprint and puts staff on the farm for sharing of duties, care of crops and animals and it adds security to the place.

We plan to start building our new classroom and office and we are looking for investors to help us to fund this project. This classroom will enable us to expand and offer more workshops to the trainees, and it will also be available to the wider community. We will be using reclaimed and recycled materials where available.

Also, our new hens are laying, so please do come buy eggs! 😊

Holi-day 2013

Holi-day is a 2 day event and camp over for people with additional needs, their carers and families, all set right here at the farm. This years holi-day is on Wednesday the 29th and Thursday 30th of May.

The event will commence with the wonderfully colourful Los Samba band at 12 on the Wednesday. There will be a barn dance, disco, karaoke, Hula hooping, felting, knitting, art, a snail race, Shallal Dance Theatre, Capoeira, yoga, a farmyard hunt and much more. The Holi-Day Café will be making their usual delicious meals. We are all very excited!



Enjoy the warmer weather and we hope to see you at our Open Day and at Holi-Day!

